IN THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEW CONCORD, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. D-12-06-1

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. D-4-04-1 ESTABLISHING CHARGES AND RATES FOR WATER SERVICE AND FOR USE OF THE VILLAGE WATER SYSTEM AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of New Concord must establish water service rates in order to operate the water system; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that revised rates for water service be established. These revised charges are necessary for the cost and expense of operating the water system for the Village of New Concord in compliance with rules and regulations of the Environmental Protection Agency.

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is necessary to the health, safety and welfare of the Village.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it hereby ordained by the Council of the Village of New Concord as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. That all properties within the Village Corporation limits to which a connection is made to the Village Water System shall be charged for water based on water consumption per bi-monthly period, which shall be computed as follows effective for the January 1, 2007 billing:

First 4,000 gallons	\$6.50 per 1,000 gallons
Next 8,000 gallons	\$6.25 per 1,000 gallons
Over 12,000 gallons	\$6.00 per 1,000 gallons

The minimum water charge per bi-monthly period is \$26.00.

<u>Section 1A.</u> That all properties outside the Village Corporation limits to which a connection is made to the Village Water System shall be charged for water based on water consumption per bi-monthly period, which charges shall be computed as follows effective for the January 1, 2007 billing:

First 4,000 gallons	\$13.00 per 1,000 gallons
Next 8,000 gallons	\$12.50 per 1,000 gallons
Over 12,000 gallons	\$12.00 per 1,000 gallons

The minimum water charge per bi-monthly period is \$52.00.

Section 2. Effective beginning with the January 1, 2008 billing period and continuing indefinitely thereafter on an annul basis for the January 1, billing period the rates included in Section 2 shall increase the amount equal in percentage to the Consumer Price Index Rate of Inflation as published by the United States Department of Labor Statistics for the previous 12 months.

<u>Section 3</u>. Tapping Charges established by Ordinance No. D-1-03-2 shall remain in effect.

<u>Section 4</u>. Rules and policies established by Village Council or the Village Administrator in accordance with the Ohio Revised Code shall govern customers use, billing, shut offs and other actions necessary for the property operation of the water system.

<u>Section 5</u>. Restrictions and fees for taps outside the corporation limit established by Ordinance No. D-1-03-2 shall remain in effect.

<u>Section 6</u>. For the reasons stated in the preamble hereto, this ordinance and the rates and charges set forth herein shall be in full force on the effective dates listed above.

PASSED:

December 11, 2006

Al Chaffee. President of Council

APPROVED: December 11, 2006

R. Gregory Adams, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sue Wilson, Fiscal Officer

I hereby certify that the above legislation was posted per Ordinance No. L-1-84-1.

Sue Wilson